

MANIFOLD ADJUSTABLE TRELLIS

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.. AN EXPLANATION ..



DURING January and February of 1924, the Evan L. Reed Mfg. Co. of this city placed advertisements in several of the prominent magazines featuring their MANIFOLD ADJUSTABLE TRELLIS. These issues carried a request for those interested to send for a booklet illustrating and describing their product.

Before this booklet could be issued, however, financial troubles overtook the Reed Mfg. Co., and they were eventually adjudicated bankrupts.

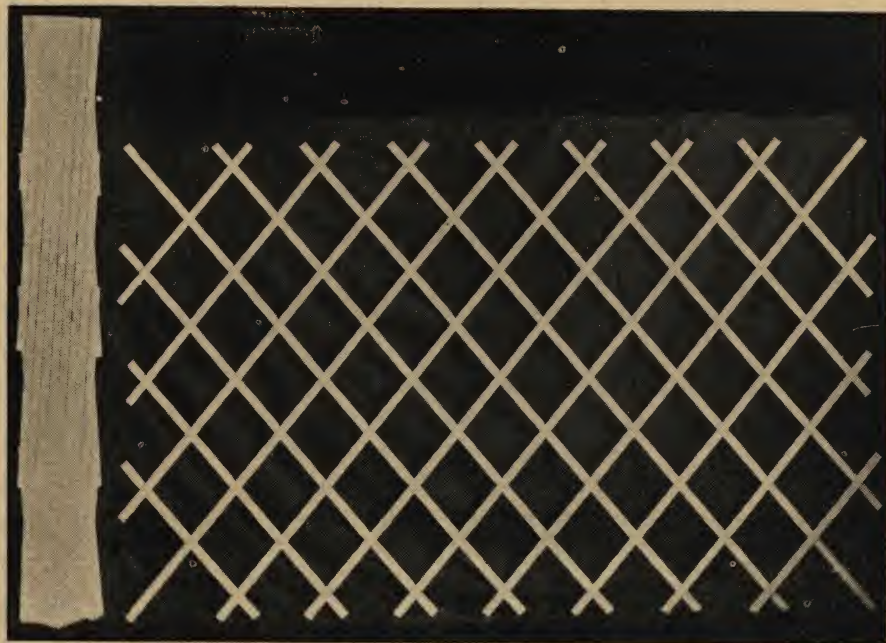
Quite naturally, this condition of affairs made it impossible to carry out the original program and, in consequence, thousands of requests for booklets either went unanswered or received unsatisfactory replies, and, while these omissions should not be charged to us, we feel that an apology is due, and we are willing to assume the responsibility of placing before you this explanation.

We are hoping that this little booklet will be of interest to you, and, in making your selections, please do so with the assurance that your requirements will be promptly and carefully served.

Yours very truly,

INTERSTATE SPECIALTY CO.,

Danville, Illinois.



MANIFOLD ADJUSTABLE Trellis

Ready For Use

Every person interested in the beautifying of their home and grounds by the use of trellis should be equally interested in a production that would relieve them of time, labor and annoyance from the many little details that arise from constructing a trellis at home. This is the mission of the Manifold Adjustable Trellis—to furnish an article that is ready for immediate use and which can be made readily adaptable to the demands made upon it. Our regular stock sizes are made in heights of 32, 50 and 60 inches when folded ready for shipment. The different combinations having reference to the number of diamonds in height and width, together with range of extensibility, will be found on the following page, and from this table a selection may be easily made that will answer the requirements demanded. The illustration shown on this page is that of our No. 48 Trellis which when folded is 60 inches high and 8 inches wide. This Trellis is shown extended to a width of 7 feet, at which point the height is 4 feet. Please remember that as the Trellis is increased in

width the height naturally decreases. (See table for different extended lengths and heights on the No. 48.) All slats of our Adjustable Trellis are made from seasoned basswood, smooth finished to $\frac{7}{8} \times \frac{3}{8}$ and furnished either in natural wood or painted.

ARCHES—In the ordering of Trellis for Arches where the width of panels is not to exceed 2 or $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet, we would recommend the use of our No. 232. For arches to have a wider panel than $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet it is better to construct them from two sections of trellis, one section for each side to reach from the ground to the crown of the arch, the size of the sections to be selected by reference to the table. We suggest this from the fact that the farther the trellis is extended the slats assume a more horizontal position, and when an attempt is made to bend the trellis in that position the strain has a tendency to snap the slats or pull out fasteners. Our No. 232 will withstand this pressure with perfect safety.

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GENERAL DESCRIPTION AND PRICES OF MANIFOLD ADJUSTABLE TRELLIS

								Painted White or Green	Unpainted
No. 28—When folded for shipment is	32 ins. high and	8 ins. wide, shows	2 diamonds high and	8 diamonds wide	each	\$1.10	\$0.85		
No. 216—When folded for shipment is	32 ins. high and	16 ins. wide, shows	2 diamonds high and	16 diamonds wide	each	2.10	1.60		
No. 232—When folded for shipment is	32 ins. high and	32 ins. wide, shows	2 diamonds high and	32 diamonds wide	each	4.20	3.20		
No. 38—When folded for shipment is	50 ins. high and	8 ins. wide, shows	3 diamonds high and	8 diamonds wide	each	1.60	1.20		
No. 316—When folded for shipment is	50 ins. high and	16 ins. wide, shows	3 diamonds high and	16 diamonds wide	each	3.00	2.30		
No. 332—When folded for shipment is	50 ins. high and	32 ins. wide, shows	3 diamonds high and	32 diamonds wide	each	6.00	4.60		
No. 48—When folded for shipment is	60 ins. high and	8 ins. wide, shows	4 diamonds high and	8 diamonds wide	each	2.10	1.60		
No. 416—When folded for shipment is	60 ins. high and	16 ins. wide, shows	4 diamonds high and	16 diamonds wide	each	4.00	3.00		
No. 432—When folded for shipment is	60 ins. high and	32 ins. wide, shows	4 diamonds high and	32 diamonds wide	each	8.00	6.00		

While we do not furnish posts unless specified, the prices include four loops for attaching trellis to posts when latter is to be used.

Posts, when wanted, 3 cents per lineal foot.

NOTE—The above dimensions are used with the Trellis in a horizontal position (see photograph on opposite page). When used vertically, the height and width would be reversed.

RANGE IN EXTENSIBILITY OF MANIFOLD ADJUSTABLE TRELLIS

When Extended to a length of	Trellis will have height of	When Extended to a length of	Trellis will have height of	When Extended to a length of	Trellis will have height of
No. 28— 4 ft.	2½ ft.	No. 38— 7 ft.	3 ft.	No. 48— 7 ft.	4 ft.
7 ft.	2 ft.	8 ft.	2½ ft.	8 ft.	3½ ft.
9½ ft.	1½ ft.	9 ft.	2 ft.	8½ ft.	3 ft.
		10 ft.	1½ ft.	9 ft.	2½ ft.
No. 216— 9 ft.	2½ ft.	No. 316— 13 ft.	3 ft.	No. 416— 13 ft.	4 ft.
12½ ft.	2 ft.	16 ft.	2½ ft.	15 ft.	3½ ft.
16 ft.	1½ ft.	17½ ft.	2 ft.	17 ft.	3 ft.
		18 ft.	1½ ft.	18 ft.	2½ ft.
				19 ft.	2 ft.
No. 232— 18 ft.	2½ ft.	No. 332— 25 ft.	3 ft.	No. 432— 9 ft.	5 ft.
25 ft.	2 ft.	30 ft.	2½ ft.	22 ft.	4 ft.
30 ft.	1½ ft.	31 ft.	2 ft.	27 ft.	3½ ft.
		32 ft.	1½ ft.	30 ft.	3 ft.
				32 ft.	2½ ft.
				35 ft.	2 ft.

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.. Pergolas ..

In the designing of our Nos. 1 and 2 Pergolas, we have combined ruggedness with beauty and combined in their construction features that should appeal to all users and prospective customers of Garden Furniture. In the manufacture there is nothing cheap in either material or finish or appearance. These Pergolas are made to use and should not be classed with the weak, flimsy affairs that serve no purpose other than to please the eye.

All that is needed in the assembling or dismantling of our Pergola is a screw-driver. Screws are used wherever possible and no nails are to be found where it would be necessary to remove them. This feature will meet the approval of those wishing to change the location of their Pergola or remove them during the winter months for storage. The seats are so constructed that they drop down upon the removal of the two screws at the lower end of each corner post, which arrangement permits storing in a comparatively small space.

PRICES

No. 1 or 2—With Panel Designs as shown,
Painted 2 Coats Durable White...\$30.00 each
(If no painting desired, deduct \$5.00 from
above price.)

Note—The Panel Designs shown are standard.
Any changes made to conform with the idea of
customers will carry an additional cost to be
agreed upon, if such addition is necessary.



SPECIFICATIONS

Height	6 ft. 4 inches
Length of Top Cross Bars.....	7 feet
Width of Panels	3 feet
Width Between Panels	5 feet
Dimension of Seats	36 x 13 inches
Height of Seat from Ground.....	17 inches
Passageway Between Seats	32 inches



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.. Pergolas ..

OUR NOS. 3 AND 4 PERGOLAS are especially designed for protection and growth of Climbing Roses, Clematis and other vines of like nature. A beautiful effect may be obtained by placing them at any location on the grounds and need not be confined to any certain spot in order to harmonize with the surroundings.

These Pergolas have received the same care in construction that are accorded our Nos. 1 and 2, screws and bolts being used wherever possible in order that the assembling may be accomplished with neatness and without annoyance.

Place the small posts three feet apart; this is all the measuring necessary. To overcome straining the uprights in taking down the Pergolas, short posts two feet in length are furnished, these to be buried in the ground with 6 or 7 inches protruding. To these posts the upright proper is attached by means of bolts. Top bracing blocks are firmly fastened by means of screws; the canopy as well.



No. 3

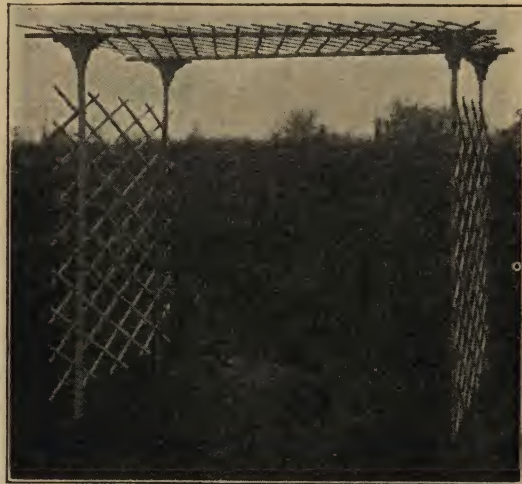
SPECIFICATIONS

No. 3—Posts Proper.....1 3/4 x 1 3/4 x 6 ft.
Underground Posts.....1 3/4 x 1 3/4 x 2 ft.
Canopy Bars.....1 x 2 x 5 ft.
Height of Panel.....6 ft.
Width of Panel.....3 ft.
Width of Canopy.....3 ft.
No. 38 Trellis.....Two

No. 4—Same general specifications as No. 3, excepting that one complete Panel and one No. 38 Trellis is added. The Canopy Bar is also one foot longer than in the No. 3.

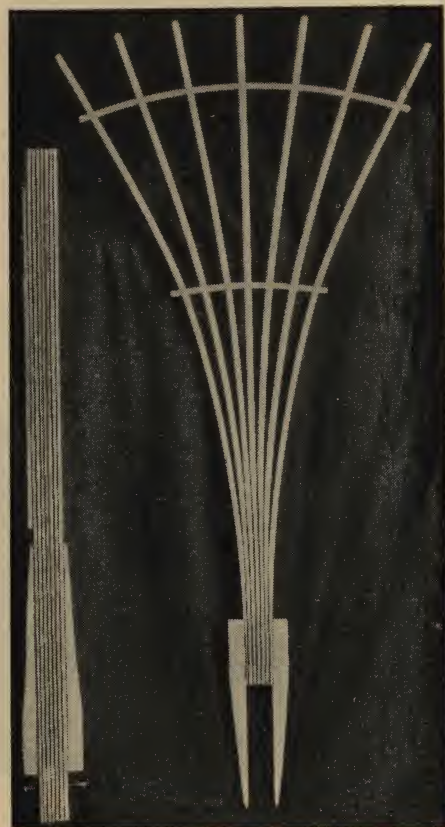
PRICES

No. 3—Painted in either Green or White.....\$6.00 each
No. 4—Painted in either Green or White.....8.50 each



No. 4

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Folded Ready for Use
Style of 4, 5, 6 and 7 ft. Trellis

Beautify Your Grounds at a Nominal Investment

with the Sturdy, Convenient and Practical--



Folded Ready for Use
Style of 2 and 3 ft. Trellis

Folding Fan Trellis

Beautiful, symmetrical, effective wherever set up. Easily put up—and once up. STAYS up!

A little touch of trellis work in the yard will do more than any other thing to make an artistic setting, but heretofore you have had to depend upon the artistic ability of your carpenter to translate your ideas into completion, and their creations are sometimes the reverse of artistic. The Folding Fan Trellis is made from 2 to 7 feet in height and can be set alongside the house or at any place in the yard. All the work necessary is to simply spread out the trellis, insert dowels and drive the brads that are furnished with trellis into each segment and you will have your trellis properly spaced with just the spread required for a graceful, symmetrical appearance.

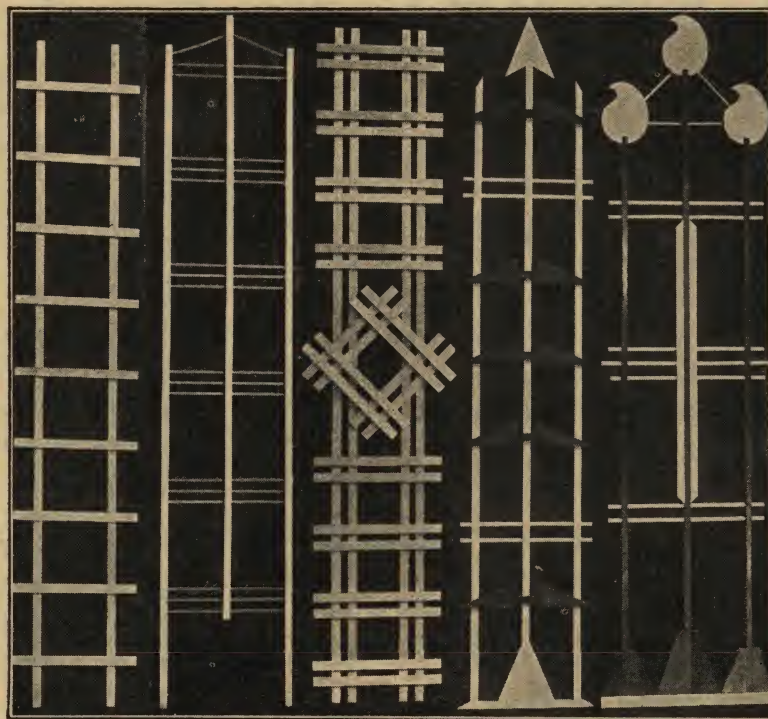
SIX HANDY SIZES

A size for every purpose. That's why our *Folding Fan Trellis* is so adaptable. Comes in the following lengths: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 feet. Furnished in natural wood, green or white creosote stain.

PRICES REASONABLE

The *Folding Fan Trellis* is well built and will last for years—and costs very little. Note these reasonable prices:

7 ft.—\$2.25 each	4 ft.—\$1.15 each
6 ft.—1.90 each	3 ft.—.75 each
5 ft.—1.50 each	2 ft.—.45 each



No. 1

No. 2

No. 3

No. 4

No. 5

Veranda Trellis

From the wide variety of designs shown, a pleasing selection should not be difficult.

For convenience in shipping, all Veranda Trellis are made in two sections—one half folding back against the other by means of a hinge. When ready for use, Trellis is made rigid by the use of steel braces, which accompany each shipment.

Nos. 4 and 5 are furnished in Green and White combination.

Nos. 1, 2 and 3, either Green or White.

PRICES

	8 ft.	10 ft.	12 ft.	
No. 1—	.75	.85	1.00	each
No. 2—	2.25	2.55	2.90	each
No. 3—	2.25	2.55	2.90	each
No. 4—	2.50	2.85	3.20	each
No. 5—	3.30	3.55	3.80	each

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"Safety" Step Ladder Stools

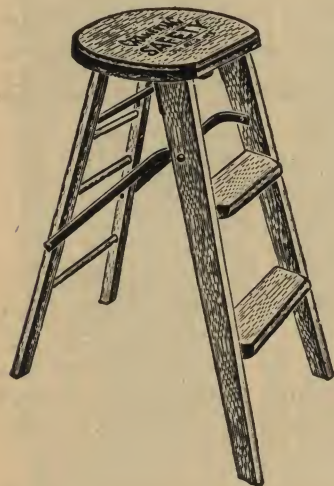
FOR THE HOME, OFFICE or FACTORY are all made from hardwood throughout. The steps and legs being sturdy and symmetrical, the tops are cut straight in the front and elliptical at the back, which design will be found most comfortable. The patented locking device (shown at the right) makes the word "safety" strictly a correct term when used with the **CRAKERJAC** Stool, as it is impossible to fold the stool until this lock is first released. Stools under other names do not have this equipment, which omission may cause a serious fall when the weight of the person using them is

placed at the back of the seat. Note the illustration on the following page—this is not an exaggeration, but an actual possibility where other than the **CRAKERJAC** Safety Stool is used. YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HAVE ANY PIECE OF FURNITURE IN THE HOUSE THAT IS NOT SAFE TO USE!

The standard finish on Safety Stools consists of two coats of hard-wearing natural varnish. For other finishes, see description of **STYLE DE LUXE** Stools.

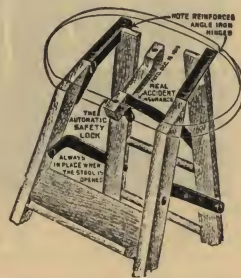
PRICES

No.	(Standard Finish)	Each
24—Two-Step—24 inches high	-----	\$2.75
32—Three-Step—32 inches high	-----	3.50



THE SAFETY LOCK
UNDERNEATH THE
SEAT PREVENTS
ACCIDENTAL FOLD-
ING WHILE IN USE.

(Pat Dec. 16, 1919)



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CRAKERJAC TRADE MARK 'Safety' Step Ladder Stools and some of their uses



"HANGING PICTURES"



"WASHING WINDOWS"



"WASHING HAIR AT SINK"



"AS HIGH CHAIR"



"PUTTING UP STOVE PIPE"

An Article of Furniture!

—not a Woodshed Item

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Housewives say:

"Handiest thing about the place"



"FIXING CURTAINS"

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"Safety" Step Ladder Stools

STYLE DE LUXE



THE original introduction of our DeLuxe type of Safety Ladder Stool several years ago has resulted in an ever-increasing demand.

The white enamel finish affords an opportunity of matching the general color scheme of Bath and Kitchen, while the mahogany colored stool serves in its usual capable manner and really becomes a piece of utility furniture that matches its surroundings.

When equipped with rubber on the treads and top of the seat long service is assured without showing signs of wear.

The DeLuxe Stools have the safety locking device and their construction, workmanship and selection of material is of the very best.

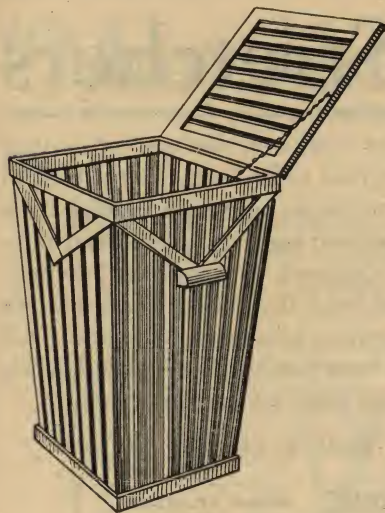
To insure protection from mishandling in shipping, all stools are put up in corrugated paper cartons.

PRICES

No.	Two-Step—24 inches high	Each
241—White enamel finish	-----	\$3.50
242—White enamel finish, rubber equipped	-----	4.25
243—Mahogany finish	-----	3.50
244—Mahogany finish, rubber equipped	-----	4.25
No.	Three-Step—32 inches high	Each
321—White enamel finish	-----	\$4.25
322—White enamel finish, rubber equipped	-----	5.00
323—Mahogany finish	-----	4.25
324—Mahogany finish, rubber equipped	-----	5.00

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Sanitary Clothes Hampers



THESE HAMPERS are unique, sanitary and attractive. The construction is such that a free circulation of air is permitted through the soiled and damp clothes they are intended to contain. They are light and durable, made from clear kiln-dried Basswood, with rounded edges, 3-8 in. thick by 7-8 in. wide.

The covers have strong hinges and supporting chain. Corners of top bands are fitted with enameled steel brackets. Hampers are furnished in three sizes and finished either in natural varnish or white enamel.

SIZES AND PRICES	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3
Height -----	31 inches	28 inches	25 inches
Top -----	21 in. sq.	19 in. sq.	17 in. sq.
Bottom -----	15 in. sq.	13 in. sq.	11 in. sq.
Varnish Finish -----	\$4.50 each	\$3.90 each	\$3.10 each
White enamel -----	5.50 each	4.75 each	3.75 each

Wooden
Paneled

Waste Paper Baskets

MADE with wooden slats with rounded edges, six-sided corners secured by metal angles, bottom by flat steel. Capacious, durable and attractive in their appearance.

These baskets are made in one size only, being thirteen inches high; diameter at top, sixteen inches; diameter at bottom, nine inches.

Finished in pink, light blue or white enamel ----- \$1.25 each
Natural varnish finish ----- 1.00 each

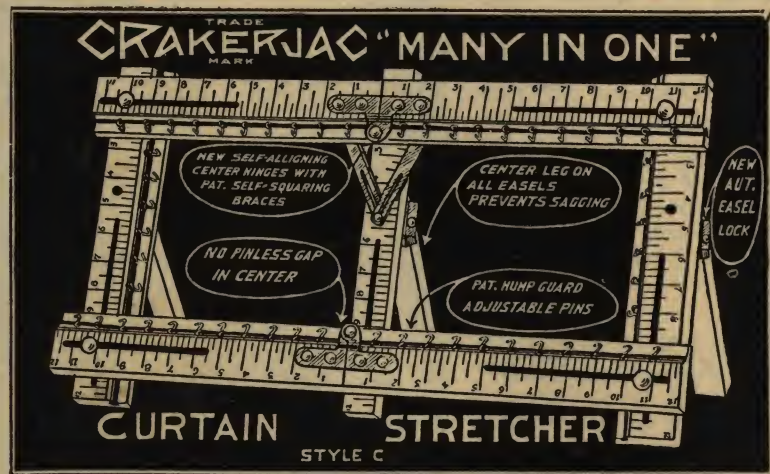


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"Many-in-One" Curtain Stretchers

The Bolt Corner types of **CRAKERJAC** Curtain Stretchers are superior to all other makes on the market as they possess distinctive features such as our Self-Aligning Center Hinge which causes the bars to line up exactly true in the center preventing a gap or, cut-out part in which no pins can be placed. All numbers are built with Easels having center leg to prevent sagging and the Easel locks are specially designed for automatic action. Double braces hold the frames rigid and we use only clear white kiln-dried Basswood. All pins are solid brass heavily nickel-plated, while the other metal parts are copper-plated.

Highest Quality in Bolt Corners



Self-Aligning Center Hinges.
Double Self-Squaring Braces.

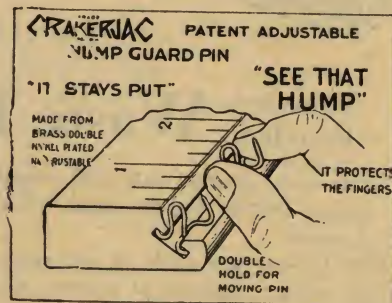
STYLE "C" BOLT CORNERS

No. 60—ADJUSTABLE PINS—1 3-4 inch kiln-dried Basswood bars, 6 ft. x 12 ft. frame, Easels with center leg and automatic Easel locks. Per Set.....

\$3.75

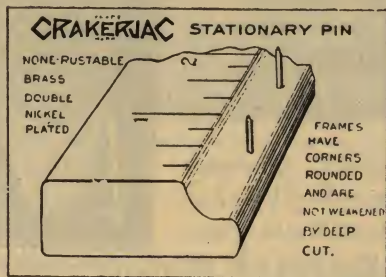
No. 605—ADJUSTABLE PINS Same as No. 60 but having a frame of the 5 ft. x 10 ft. size. Per Set.....

\$3 50



"Many-in-One" Curtain Stretchers

*Bolt Corner Stationary Pins
Stretchers that Merit
Everyone's Approval*



Self-Aligning Center Hinges.
Double Self-Squaring Braces.

STYLE "D" BOLT CORNERS

No. 170—STATIONARY PINS—1 3-4 inch kiln-dried Basswood bars, 6 ft. x 12 ft. frame, Easels with center leg and automatic

Easel locks. Pins spaced 1 inch apart. Per Set\$3.25

No. 1705—STATIONARY PINS—Same as No. 170, but having a frame 5 ft. x 10 ft. Per Set\$3.0

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The Perfection Ironing Board

A PERFECT PRODUCT FOR EVERY WOMAN

*Does not spring up and down**Does not wobble from side to side**Does not creep on the floor**Approved for 10 consecutive years by "Good Housekeeping" Magazine*

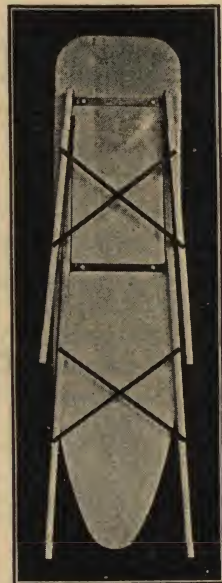
*Showing there is no sag.
Rigid and useful to the
tip end.*

**Stands
Absolutely Rigid**

*Opens and folds as easily as a
pocketknife*

Opens or folds in three seconds. Occupies very little space. Stands on tips of long legs when folded which prevents soiling of cover. Is light, easy to handle, with no parts to get loose or broken. Top is five feet long and fifteen inches wide, consists of from three to seven strips thoroughly kiln-dried, jointed and glued to prevent warping. Top of board stands 32 inches from floor. Unobstructed tips 32 inches long for convenience in ironing skirts. All braces and cross pieces are of black enameled steel, cannot break or warp or get out of order.

PRICE.....\$3.75 Each

*View when folded*

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Note how compactly it folds when not in use

The Star Clothes Bar

This is the clothes bar that has no weak points or parts. It will give good service for a lifetime

The dowel rods are 3-4 inch in diameter and 30 inches long, making 40 feet of drying surface. It folds compactly when not in use and can be hung on the side wall where floor space is scarce. When opened out on the floor its broad base will not let it tip or blow over and it is strong enough to hold a mattress for airing.

PRICE ----- \$2.25 each

Perfection Junior Ironing Board

Just like mother's large Perfection in every way, excepting size. Pleases the child and adds to the necessary equipment of the home.

Top is 10 inches wide, 30 inches long. Shaped edges, smooth finish, birch legs, black enameled steel parts.

PRICE ----- \$2.00 each



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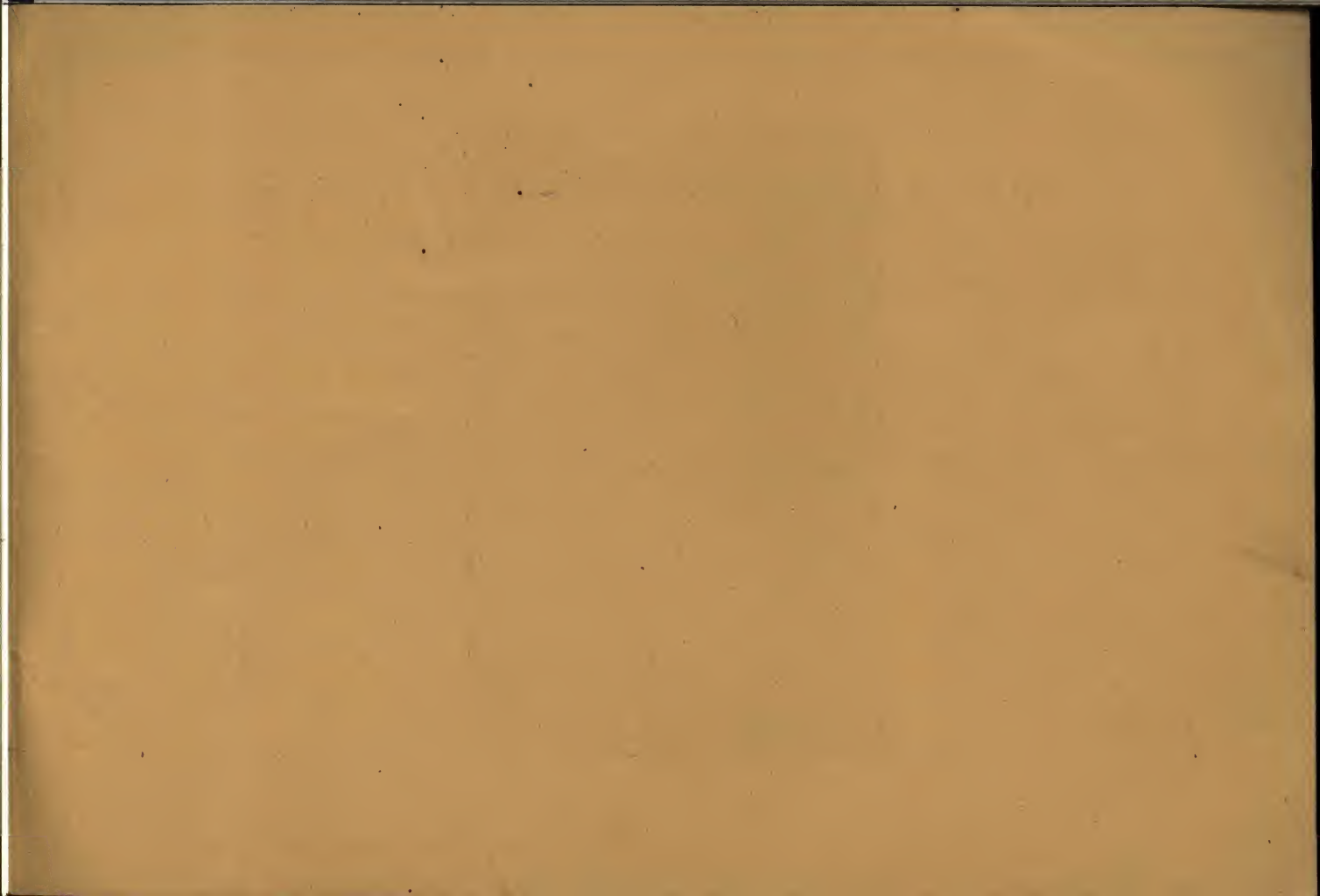
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FROM the thousands of requests that we have received for a copy of our booklet, we know that there must be additional thousands that would be interested in our product if we could only get their names or they get ours.

If you think that any of your friends or acquaintances would be sufficiently interested to wish a copy of our little booklet, kindly furnish them with our address and their appreciated request will be promptly met.

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